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NOTICE FEE INCREASE

On September 19, 2006, the Judicial Conference approved several changes to the Bankruptcy Court Miscellaneous Fee Schedule and the Court of Appeals Miscellaneous Fee Schedule relating to implementation of the Bankruptcy Abuse Prevention and Consumer Protection Act of 2005 (BAPCPA) (Pub. L. No. 109-8) and the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005 (DRA) (Publ. L. No. 109-171). The changes to the Bankruptcy fees will become effective on January 1, 2007.

Miscellaneous Fees	New Fee
Conversion from Chapter 13 to Chapter 7	\$25.00
Conversion from Chapter 12 to Chapter 7	\$60.00
Conversion from Chapter 12 to Chapter 11	\$800.00
Conversion from Chapter 12 to Chapter 13	\$35.00
Conversion from Chapter 11 to Chapter 7	\$15.00
Deconsolidation of Chapter 7	\$260.00
Deconsolidation of Chapter 13	\$235.00
Motion to Reopen Chapter 7	\$260.00
Motion to Reopen Chapter 13	\$235.00
Motion to Reopen Chapter 15	\$1,000.00
Direct Appeal	\$200.00 ¹
Direct Cross Appeal	\$200.00

¹ The Direct Appeal and Direct Cross Appeal fees are new fees charged in addition to the \$255.00 Appeal and Cross Appeal fee. The \$200.00 additional fee is collected separately when the Court of Appeals authorizes a Direct Appeal or Direct Cross Appeal. Therefore, the total cost of a direct appeal to the Court of Appeals will be \$455.00.